

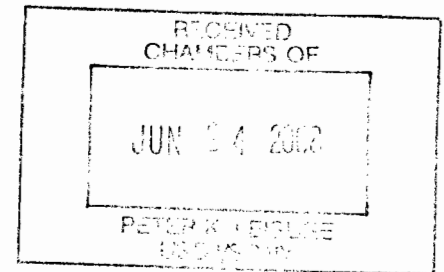
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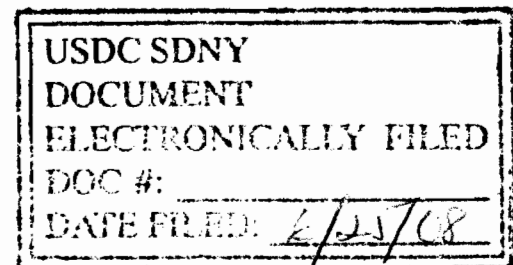
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June 23, 2008

BY MESSENGER

Honorable Peter K. Leisure
United States District Judge
Daniel Patrick Moynihan
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street, Room 1910
New York, NY 10007



Re: Balta US Inc. v. Star Shipping A/S, *et al.*
07 Civ. 4836 (PKL)
Our file: 2563035

Dear Judge Leisure:

We are attorneys for defendants Star Shipping A/S in this action. With the consent of counsel for plaintiff, we write to request a thirty-day adjournment of the status conference presently scheduled for Thursday, June 26, 2008, at 10:00 a.m.

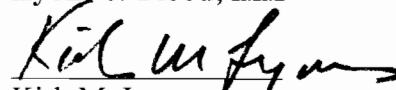
The reason for the request for an adjournment is to provide the parties with additional time to explore potential settlement. The parties would like to avoid the additional legal costs in attending a conference and agreeing to a formal discovery schedule in light of their settlement discussions.

We thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully yours,

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The status conference is
hereby adjourned to
July 30, 2008 at 10:00 a.m.

